Remarks:

Reconsideration of this application and entry of the foregoing amendments are requested.

SEQ ID Nos have been added in the description, more particularly in the Brief Description of the Drawings on page 27 and at pages 52 and 53 of the description, in accordance with the Sequence Listing filed herewith, as requested by the Examiner.

The previous sequence listing submission included a duplication of SEQ ID NO: 308 and 309. With the instant submission this duplication is corrected and SEQ ID NO: 309 is a mutation of SCN 1A shown in Figure 3 (ATC ATA TAC TTC CTG).

Applicants believe that no new matter has been entered by the foregoing amendments.

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Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants petition for an extension of time of one

month to and including April 22, 2006. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, a check in the amount of

\$60.00 is enclosed, which is the process fee for a one-month extension of time for a small entity

status. If the check is inadvertently omitted, or should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R.

§§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, or should an

overpayment be included herein, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct or credit said fees

from or to Fulbright & Jaworski Deposit Account No. 50-1212/GOUD:023USD1.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned Attorney at (512) 536-3020 with any

questions, comments or suggestions relating to the referenced patent application.

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